

THE ADVANCE

In muslin flags has not affected us. We have just received a new stock of all the leading sizes. Orders taken for all sizes of hunting flags at the lowest possible prices.

HOOKS & BROWN, 4 N. Main St.

CUT FLOWERS FOR DECORATION DAY.

By leaving your orders early you will save money.

SHENANDOAH DRUG STORE, 3 South Main Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

GREETED WITH A NOOSE.

Rev. Thomas Linn Refused to Leave and Finally Won Abandonment.

Welcomed with a noose in the hands of a mob, but years afterward dismissed with a farewell banquet from practically the same company was one of the experiences of Rev. Thomas Linn, a missionary of the American Sunday School union.

"The first day I went to when I entered the work," said Mr. Linn, "was a little town near Lexington, Tex. I had announced that I had come to get the people interested in forming a Sunday school and that I would hold a meeting in a certain place. I had been warned that Sunday school men were not wanted there, but I determined that I would rather die than desert my duty."

No Map of the United States.

"The school children of the Bermuda know nothing of American history," says a New York woman who has just returned from Hamilton. "One day I stopped and talked with a bright little colored boy on the street. The Bermuda negro, you know, is superior in intelligence to the southern negro of this country. He has neither the thick lips nor the flat nose of our American negro. His superiority is accounted for by the fact that he has in his veins the blood of the Indians captured in King Philip's war and taken as slaves to the Bermudas."

Another NEW STOCK OF U. S. and Cuban FLAGS

Large Flag Poles and Bracket Holders. All kinds of Flag Goods by the Yard.

Morgan's Bazar, 23 N. Main St.

WE BOTTLE Beer, Weiss Beer, Ale, Porter.

Private family orders will receive prompt attention. Leave them at the office, we will do the rest.

Columbia Brewing Company.

BEST LINE OF GROCERIES, FLOUR, FEED, HAY and STRAW.

Floor and Table Oil Cloths. E. B. FOLEY, 27 West Centre St.

BOOM FOR HARD COAL.

The business men of Mt. Carmel have inaugurated a movement looking to a greater consumption of hard coal, and with this cooperation of the business men of every town in the anthracite region, Shamokin and one of two other towns have responded to the call and will organize to put into full force moral and legal means to abate the discrimination against hard coal.

At the meeting of the business men of Mt. Carmel, a committee was appointed to perfect an organization, and to send a committee to a district meeting to be held in the near future at some point convenient to all sections.

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Serofula is Snake-Like

in its subtlety. It lies hidden for years in the ambush of the blood, and when it strikes it voids its venom like on strength and beauty, disfiguring the one and undermining the other.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

is a specific for serofula in its worst and most malignant forms. Serofula is a blood disease. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a blood purifying medicine. Mineral medicines only drive serofula below the surface. Dr. J. C. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a vegetable remedy and it eradicates the disease. There is no remedy for serofula equal to Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

"I was cured of a long-standing case of serofula by Dr. J. C. Ayer's Sarsaparilla. The disease first manifested itself when I was a child, by breaking out in blotches all over my body. I was not free from the trouble until I took several bottles of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which effected a permanent cure."—Mrs. E. H. Smith, Leighton, Pa.

Word in Passing.

—Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Snyder, of Port Carbon, are guests of friends in town.

—Peter Puff made a trip to the county seat this morning.

—George Lorch transacted business at Potsville this morning.

—John W. Baker spent today at the county seat.

—John Melchius was among the townsmen who visited Potsville today.

—Max Levitt spent a part of today at Potsville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Grosskottler visited friends at Port Carbon yesterday.

—Peter Breen spent yesterday as a guest of friends at Minersville.

—Lucian Krebs, of Krebs' Station, visited friends in town and Potsville yesterday.

—Sham E. Evans, of Shamokin, visited friends in town yesterday.

—Budd Evans, of St. Clair, spent yesterday as a guest of friends in town.

—Constable Matt Gibson made a trip to New Philadelphia yesterday on official business.

—"Kid" Dunkel, a member of the Philadelphia national base ball league team, is in town, the guest of his father-in-law, John W. Hesser, of West Coal town, yesterday.

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MINISTERS TO CONVENE.

Regular Session of the Mahanoy Valley Ministerial Association to-morrow.

The regular monthly session of the Mahanoy Valley Ministerial Association will be held at Wm. Penn to-morrow. The body is composed entirely of Methodist Episcopal clergymen who are greatly interested in the advancement of their faith, and putting forth many earnest efforts in its behalf.

MAHANOY CITY.

Superintendent of Schools Ehrhart has reconsidered his determination not to engage in orchestra for the remainder of last year's receipts were equal to the expenditures, but the superintendent has doubt that they will reach the required amount this year.

The game of ball between Park Place and Delano teams was won by the latter. The score was 25 to 10.

The funeral of Mrs. George Gilgore took place yesterday. Anna Harrison Decker Lodge No. 83, Daughters of Rehekah, attended in a body. Interment was made in Keller's cemetery, Minersville. The pall bearers, ten in number, were all grandsons of the deceased, who was 59 years old.

THE WEATHER.

The forecast for Tuesday: Light cloudy to fair weather, with slight temperature changes and fresh southwesterly winds, followed by local thunder storms.

MORTON DIES.

Injuries Received From a Runaway Have Fatal Results.

Harry Morton, the young man who was injured on the 14th inst. by being thrown from a wagon drawn by runaway horses, died at the Miners' hospital on Sunday morning. Tetanus, or lockjaw, was pronounced the cause of death.

Morton's injuries consisted of severe cuts and bruises about the head and face, one of his arms being almost severed. He seemed to recover rapidly, however, and in a few days was at work again in Carl's butcher shop.

On Thursday, last, however, he complained of a stiffening of the jaws. On Friday Dr. Stein was called in and he said the victim was threatened with tetanus. Removal to the hospital followed. Morton was 22 years of age and unmarried.

The remains were brought to town yesterday and taken in charge by Mr. B. Hawley, of East Coal street. The funeral will take place from Mr. Hawley's residence at 2 p. m. on Wednesday. Interment will be in the Odd Fellows' cemetery.

KICKED BY A MULE.

William Zollner Probably Fatally Injured at Shenandoah City Colliery.

While William Zollner, employed as inside driver at the Shenandoah City colliery, was engaged in hitching a team of mules to a loaded car this morning, one of the beasts kicked him in the chest, the injury was so severe and may prove fatal. The skull was badly crushed near the right eye and the victim's face presented a badly gashed and bruised appearance. Dr. Stein dressed the injuries. He says they are of a dangerous character.

Zollner was picked up unconscious. Upon being removed to his home he partly recovered his senses and when asked by the doctor how he felt he said, "All right, except that I may have a bruise." The funny part of it is that he says he was not hurt.

Zollner is a single young man 22 years of age and resides with his mother and sisters in West Hackberry alley.

Bickert's Cafe.

Clam soup to-night. Stewed brook, pork and mashed potatoes to-morrow morning.

Another Flag Raised.

By far the most elaborate patriotic display ever witnessed in this county was the raising of a flag on the roof of the building owned by Ben. Womer, at his residence on West Centre street Saturday night. A great crowd of people assembled and in the immediate vicinity of the platform erected for the speakers were the members of Walkin Waters Post No. 146, G. A. R., Grant Band and Co. A, a volunteer organization under Capt. Arthur Tregembo with a drum corps. The flag was raised above the roof of Mr. Womer's residence. Maund, the young granddaughter of Mr. Womer, was the first to raise the flag as she held the "Star Spangled Banner," Joel Leddon, of Wm. Penn, was the master of ceremonies, and he made a stirring address by Mr. Womer, pastor of the Protestant Episcopal church, made an address that stirred up the patriotic spirit of the crowd to an enthusiastic pitch. After the ceremonies the G. A. R. Co. A and others were invited to the yard at the rear of Mr. Womer's residence, where a long table large enough to accommodate fifty people at one sitting was set out. The table was elaborately decorated with the national colors. Members of the Women's Relief Corps served an abundance of Grand Army bean soup and coffee, ham sandwiches and pickles. Home-made wine and lemonade were also served.

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CIVIL COURT.

The Long Cause List Called Over With Three Judges Present.

Pottsville, May 25.—The second week of civil court opened this morning with Judges Bechtel and Koch on the bench, who will be assisted by Judge Lyon, of Juniata county. The attendance this morning was small, and a number of the cases on the calendar were marked settled.

Clerk of the Courts Schoener will on Friday hear additional evidence in the matter of taxing the costs in the libel suit of P. J. Ferguson vs. James J. O'Sull, the latter having been sentenced to pay the costs. This will be the final hearing.

Judge Endlich filed an opinion in the following case: Deveny vs. Schuykill Electric Railway, rate for a new trial, the rate was discharged and new trial refused; Pellegosian vs. Snyder and others, application for new trial refused; Lilley vs. Gramm, application for new trial was refused; Moses vs. Powers and others, rule for new trial was made absolute; and in the case of Schuykill Electric Railway Company vs. the Government National Bank, the jury returned a verdict in favor of the bank for \$4,000.

The court appointed Wm. O'Brien as registrar in the district of Jackson, to fill a vacancy.

Judge Koch stated that he had received the written testimony in the equity proceedings of the County Controller vs. County Commissioners, restraining the latter from issuing bonds in excess of \$100,000. The testimony did not reach his Honor until Saturday afternoon, and not having sufficient time to review the same, no decision was rendered this morning. Judge Koch did not indicate when he would decide the matter. The Commissioners will be unable to release the \$100,000 treasury until it is court passes upon the question, quite a number of warrants drawn on the treasury, however, have been honored by Treasurer Davis, several tax collectors having made payments aggregating \$3,000. All of the jurors serving last week were paid, and with other claims, wiped out the above amount.

The case of James G. Elliott vs. Borough of Ashland, is marked for trial this week. S. G. M. Hollinger, Esq., represents the plaintiff.

David Brown, George Lorch, John Roberts, M. Lachler and John W. Baker, of Shenandoah, are among those serving as jurors.

Enoch Fingler, Joseph Kamendoll, Thomas Jefferson, Peter Flemming, William Welsh and William Ball, all of Shenandoah, were called before Judge Bechtel this morning for sentence, having been found guilty of receiving stolen goods, but were acquitted of the charge of burglary. L. D. Haugland made a plea for mercy in their behalf. Judge Bechtel sentenced each to pay the costs, \$5 fine, four months imprisonment and pay the value of the goods stolen. M. M. Burke, Esq., represented the prosecution in this case.

Case of Philomena Manca vs. Pennsylvania Railroad, the jury was instructed to render a verdict for \$750 in favor of the plaintiff, a settlement having been effected. The husband of the plaintiff was killed on the railroad.

JEWELRY WEDDING.

Mr. Geo. Lefkowitz, of Mahanoy City, and Miss Girda Olshe, daughter of Jacob Olshe, of West Norwegian street, this town, were married yesterday by Rabbi Dr. Rosenberg, of Lancaster.

Miss Bertha Galvin, of Shamokin, was the bridesmaid and Mr. Charles Trier, of Mahanoy City, the groomsmen. There was an elaborate banquet in which fifty guests participated.

Boy Keystonefloor. Be sure that the name LEROY & BARN, Ashland, Pa., is printed on every sack.

LESSONS OF THE FLOWERS.

They Are the Great Teachers and Speak a Universal Language.

"Nothing teaches us so much in this world as flowers if we will only watch them, understand the messages they exchange and profit by them," writes Edward W. Hook in 'The Ladies' Home Journal.'

I wish everybody on this earth might be a man or a woman. No one can raise flowers, live among them, love them and not be better for their influence. By their blitheness they show us how, out of things hard, out of disappointment and failure, by the overcoming of obstacles and the bending to difficult tasks, crop forth the most beautiful results. By their cultivation they show how different natures need different treatments. In the manner in which they refuse to bloom near weeds, they teach the clearest lesson of human association, and show that sin is an intrusion in this world. We learn the great lesson that while the most gorgeous flowers appear to our admiration we love the fragrant ones the best. Every lesson, every pleasure, we can learn and derive from these silent messengers of the earth. They speak a universal language. They adapt themselves to grave or gay. A flower is never misunderstood. We are all flowers with all the joys and sorrows of our lives as well. Flowers often speak to us when our own words seem powerless to express what we really mean. They are the daintiest bits of God's handiwork. They call to us to care for them, to love them, to reverence them, to produce them, to weep and to rejoice. They are the flowers of our lives, and 'we come to June by the way of March.'

Base Ball.

It is estimated that two thousand people braved the strong wind for almost two hours at the Trotting park yesterday afternoon to witness the game of base ball between the Shamokin team, of Shamokin, Pa., and the West End team, of Shamokin, Pa. The game was very rough and there were many rough thrashings after the ninth inning. The game was played on its merits, the players of both teams being in excellent trim. The game was decided in favor of the Shamokin team, the score being 10 to 30. The Shamokin team will play a return game at Indian park, Shamokin, on Decoration Day. Much complaint was made by the players of both teams about the spectators crowding around the bases and near the home plate. Several of the auditors were struck with batted balls but all escaped injury. The visitors say they received very unfair treatment at the hands of the audience.

The Shenandoah Steam Laundry nine defeated the Lehigh Valley team by a score of 17 to 4 on Friday night yesterday.

Challenges from base ball clubs from players from 8 to 12 years of age will be received by Manager Cogan, corner of Coal and Gilbert streets.

White blanks 5 cents per piece and gilt at 6 and 7 cents per piece. We have higher priced wallpaper. At E. J. Portz, 21 North Main street.

Maple Hill Patriots.

A 65-foot flag pole was erected at Maple Hill Saturday afternoon. It has been made possible by the help of the National colors. Temporarily, a flag was swung to the breeze, followed by a speech by James Willis. A large new flag will be raised on Decoration Day.

A Paradise of Toyshops.

The toyshops are exceedingly numerous in all parts of Japan. Even the smallest hamlets contain them, and the boys and girls are plentifully supplied with playthings from early infancy. Large numbers of people place a living in the business of amusing children, and among these are street jugglers, acrobats, singers, dancers and story tellers and traveling puppet show men.

On festival days the streets leading to the temples are filled with girls showing the gay toys and with showmen ready to amuse both young and old.—Ida Tignor Hoadnett in St. Nicholas.

Suitably.

"What would be a suitable birthday present for my little boy?" inquired the fond mother.

"Let me think," returned the star boarder, who occasionally liked to slip into the morning. Then with the glad, confident smile of one who has solved a problem he added, "How would a gag or a straight jacket do?"—Chicago Post.

The cult of the beard, according to the ancient Jewish writers, started in the garden of Eden. Adam, they tell us, was of prodigious height and was furnished with a long beard which reached to his waist.

Every American man-of-war has in her outfit flags of 43 nations, which are used on occasions of visits to the ports of those nations and in exchanging salutes of fuses belonging to them.

"GOLD DUST." OILY LAMPS. Have the things in the house to clean. Most contrary things to keep clean. Most unpleasant when not cleaned. Are made clean and kept clean easily with this enemy of oil and grease and dirt—GOLD DUST Washing Powder. Largest package—greatest economy. THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY, Chicago, St. Louis, New York, Boston, Philadelphia.

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Glenn & O'Hearn, (Successors to J. W. Johnson), N. Main St., Shenandoah, Pa.

"BABY CARRIAGES A GREAT SALE. The marine lamprey's adhesive power is such that 12 pounds may be raised without forcing it to loose its hold. It is so tenacious of life that its head remains for hours attached to a stone when its body is severed. One hundred pounds of flour will yield over 100 pounds of bread.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache, & bleed at Intestine, All Druggists.

AN APPOINTMENT. An Advertisement. To the citizens of Shenandoah. Read this and judge for yourself. It is justice to myself to recall to the citizens of Shenandoah, the fact that I am the proprietor of the last regular meeting, that is, Superintendent Stout denied that he said to me that the witness brought by P. J. Clergy are in good and they will do the work, but I want to sell them. I saved this copy of Stout's report and I will show it to the people of John Stanton and W. J. Watkins that they will not do the work, but I want to sell them and the right and proper time comes Mr. Stout will have to leave it with me and I will be able to judge for themselves who is telling the falsehood. I furthermore will let the public know that I was approached by Commissioner Conkley and he asked me if the witnesses were to be made and I said yes, so that he was never so sorry in his life as to take that money, but he would give me a pair of pants and get me off that list and I said no. The other witnesses were approached by Mr. Conkley, saying nothing about the witnesses, but saying that your bill it will be all right, and the answer was no, the witnesses show their duty as officers should be respected, and they have shown the witnesses, and the witnesses of the law, and receipts and for what purpose which they have a right to know.

ONE DAY ROCKER SALE AT DAVIDSON'S. A large lot of Rocking Chairs that have sold from \$3.00 to \$4.00, now go at \$1.45 for one day only. In cherry and antique oak. Some in cane seat others in leather. Watch the day, SATURDAY, MAY 21.

MISCELLANEOUS. FOR SALE—A bunch of keys. Finder will please return to this office. FOR SALE—A saloon, good stand and central location. Has two good stories, and being a combination of pool and billiard, only at the Herald's office. FOR RENT—Two large rooms in Lehighville building, 10 South Main street. All conveniences. Suitable for office. 3-10-04.

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